

What is claimed is:

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- 5 1. (Cancelled) An electric juicing device having a housing, and a lid through which passes a feed tube, the housing having within it a rotating grating disk located beneath the feed tube, the device comprising:
a removable juice collector having a central opening;
the collector having an exterior wall; and
10 an interior horizontal rim that defines an upper extremity of an interior compartment of the collector.
- 15 2. (Cancelled) The juicing device of claim 1, wherein:
the exterior wall above interior horizontal rim comprises a juice stopping rim that is inclined slightly from the vertical.
- 20 3. (Cancelled) The juicing device of claim 2, wherein:
the juice stopping rim further comprises a gap.
- 25 4. (Cancelled) The juicing device of claim 3, wherein:
the gap defines a spout having a down turned lip portion.
- 30 5. (Cancelled) The juicing device of claim 4, wherein:
a second gap is formed between the lip portion and a sidewall of the juice collector,
the second gap adapted to accommodate a pulp collector so that the down turned lip enters the pulp collector.
- 35 6. (Cancelled) An electric juicing device having a housing, and a lid through which passes a feed tube, the housing having within it a rotating grating disk located beneath the feed tube, the device comprising:
a pulp collector having a generally "D" shaped cross section,
the pulp collector conforming to an exterior surface of the housing.

7. (Cancelled) An electric juicing device having a housing, and a lid through which passes a feed tube, the housing having within it a rotating grating disk located beneath the feed tube, the lid comprising:
a polymeric cap in which is formed a central opening;
5 the opening accommodating a metal feed tube.
8. (Cancelled) The juicing device of claim 7, wherein:
a lower portion of an interior of the feed tube has attached to it a tapered knife.
- 10 9. (Cancelled) The juicing device of claim 7, wherein:
the feed tube has a circumferential flange that is affixed to the cap.
- 15 10. (Cancelled) The juicing device of claim 9, wherein:
a gasket is interposed between the flange and the cap.
11. (Cancelled) The juicing device of claim 10, wherein:
the gasket further comprises a neck and a surrounding ring, the neck sealing between
the feed tube and a vertical rim of the cap.
- 20 12. (Cancelled) The juicing device of claim 9, wherein:
fasteners extend through the flange into a retaining ring which is located adjacent to
an under side of the cap.
- 25 13. (Cancelled) The juicing device of claim 1, wherein:
fasteners extend through the flange and the gasket and cap into a retaining ring which
is located adjacent to an under side of the cap.
14. (Cancelled) A mounting tray for a motorised juicing device, comprising:
a contoured surface;
30 a front of the tray having formed in it a discharge opening;

one or more channels on the surface draining into the opening.
15. (Cancelled) The tray of claim 14, wherein:

features formed into the surface cooperate with features formed on the underside of a juicer to stabilise the juicer in an operating position with the pulp discharge of the juicer located in the opening.

5 16. (Cancelled) The tray of claim 14, wherein:

a central portion of the surface comprises an island with a central depression.

17. (Cancelled) A jug for a juicing device, the jug comprising:

a body with a handle, and a lid;

10 a spout located opposite the handle and defining a front of the jug;

the lid having a relief portion that cooperates with a gap in an upper rim of the body to form a port adapted to receive a spout tube of a juicing device.

18. (Cancelled) The jug of claim 17, wherein:

15 the port is closer to the handle than to the spout.

19. (Cancelled) An electric juicing device having a housing, and a lid through which passes a feed tube, the housing having within it a rotating grating disk located beneath the feed tube, the lid comprising:

20 a polymeric cap;

the cap having an undersurface that forms a smooth and continuous surface that extends from above a juice collection area to a pulp exit area of the cap.

20. (Cancelled) An electric juicing device having a housing, and a lid through which

25 passes a feed tube, the housing having within it a rotating grating disk located beneath the feed tube, the lid comprising:

a polymeric cap;

the cap having a descending rim that cooperates with a juice stopping rim of a juice collector;

30 the descending rim following the contour of the juice collector except in the area of a spout formed in the juice collector;

an angle between an outer surface of the descending rim and an inner surface of the juice stopping rim creating a tapered gap that is most narrow at the bottom.

21. (New) A lid for an electric juicing device, the lid comprising:
a polymeric cap in which is formed an opening;
the opening accommodating and having attached to it, a metal feed tube.

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22. (New) The lid of claim 21, wherein:
an interior of the feed tube has attached to it a metal knife.

23. (New) The lid of claim 21, wherein:
10 the feed tube has a circumferential flange that is affixed to the cap.

24. (New) The lid of claim 23, wherein:
a gasket is interposed between the flange and the cap.

15 25. (New) The lid of claim 24, wherein:
the gasket further comprises a neck and a surrounding ring, the neck sealing
between the feed tube and a vertical rim of the cap.

26. (New) The lid of claim 23, wherein:
20 fasteners extend through the flange into a retaining ring which is located
adjacent to an under side of the cap.

27. (New) The lid of claim 26, wherein:
fasteners extend through the flange and the gasket and cap into a retaining
25 ring which is located adjacent to an under side of the cap.

28. (New) The lid of claim 21, wherein:
the cap has an undersurface that forms a smooth and continuous surface that
extends from above a juice collection area to a pulp exit area of the cap.

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29. (New) The lid of claim 21, wherein:

the cap has a descending rim that cooperates with a juice stopping rim of a juice collector;

an angle between an outer surface of the descending rim and an inner surface of the juice stopping rim creating a tapered gap that is most narrow at the bottom.

30. (New) An electric juicing device having a housing, and a cap through which passes a feed tube, the housing having within it a rotating grating disk and juice collector located beneath the feed tube, the device comprising:

10 an exterior wall comprising a juice stopping rim that is inclined slightly from the vertical;

the juice stopping rim receiving within it, a descending rim of the cap.

31. (New) The juicing device of claim 30, wherein:

15 a space between the juice stopping rim and the descending rim of the cap further defines a gap.

32. (New) The juicing device of claim 31, wherein:

the gap is tapered.

20 33. (New) The juicing device of claim 31, wherein:

a second gap is formed between a descending lip portion of the housing and a sidewall of the juice collector, the second gap adapted to accommodate a pulp collector so that the descending lip enters the pulp collector.

25 34. (New) The juicing device of claim 33, wherein:

the pulp collector has a generally "D" shaped cross section,

the pulp collector conforming to an exterior surface of the housing.

30 35. (New) The juicing device of claim 31, wherein:

the gap is narrow at a bottom of the gap and wider at a top of the gap.

36. (New) The juicing device of claim 31, wherein:

the upper extend of the gap is further defined by a horizontal rim formed in the cap.

37. (New) The juicing device of claim 30, wherein:

- 5 an upper surface of the cap further comprises at least one cam surface and detent for receiving a locking bar.

38. (New) The juicing device of claim 30, wherein:

- 10 the cap having an undersurface that forms a smooth and continuous surface that extends from above a juice collection area to a pulp exit area of the cap.

39. (New) The juicing device of claim 30, wherein:

the cap is polymeric and formed with an opening;

the opening accommodating and having attached to it, a metal feed tube.

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40. (New) The juicing device of claim 39, wherein:

the feed tube has a circumferential flange that is affixed to the cap, there being a gasket is interposed between the flange and the cap.

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